## Crummer Canyon Inter-mountain Range Wildlife Corridor

One of only two habitat linkages that connect the Simi Hills to the Santa Monica Mountains originates from the southeast corner of Ahmanson Ranch. Crummer Canyon provides a complete canyon bottom linkage between the Ranch and the freeway corridor. Acquisition of the Ranch also includes a 100-foot wide easement along the length of the canyon bottom. The canyon supports a high quality riparian corridor with pockets of year-round surface water. The elevated deck of the 101 freeway provides optimal conditions for the construction of a specialized wildlife underpass. On the south side of the freeway, over 1,500 acres of public open space form a connection to Malibu Creek State Park.



Mountain lion



**Bobcat** 



Looking south from the Ahmanson Road across the 101 freeway into the Santa Monica Mountains

